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**NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL - UTILITY**

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Transmitted herewith for filing is a **utility** patent application:

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**Title:** VIDEO-ON-DEMAND (VOD) MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHODS

**I. PAPERS ENCLOSED HEREWITH FOR FILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.53(b):**

48 Page(s) of Written Description  
11 Page(s) Claims  
1 Page(s) Abstract  
4 Sheets of Drawings ☒ Informal ☐ Formal

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☐ Information Disclosure Statement w/PTO 1449 ☐ Copy of Citations  
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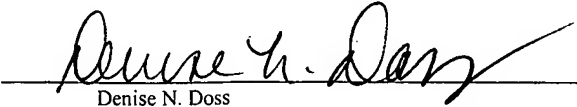
**III. PRIORITY**

☒ This application claims benefit of provisional Application No. 60/429,966, filed November 27, 2002, the disclosure of which is fully and expressly incorporated herein by reference.

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